Carriage Accidents.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10TH, 1896.

—"SWEET AUBURN, leveliest village of the plain." And if Goldsmith had lived in this age and in this country well might he have been pardoned for singing of the loveliness of the pretty town of Bridgetown, for certainly at this particular season of the year the beauty of the place cannot be surpassed. Where can be found such green velvety fields, such stately elms, and such grandeur and magnificence of scenery as may be seen every day in and around our town? Namire, seems to have excelled her usual green with the pretty one grand combination, at once harmonious and diverse, mountains clothed from top to bottom in thick shady forests, and plains which begin at the foot of one mountain and stretch themselves away over to the foot of the other, dotted thickly with the pretty cottages of the industrious farmer, and covered with ornamental and fruit trees which make the air redolent with perfume. Nor is there anything like monotony in the features of the valley, for the winding river and babbling brooks mark hill and dale and add make the air redolent with perfume. Nor is there anything like monotony in the features of the valley, for the winding river and babbling brooks mark hill and dale and add an additional charm to an already magnificent and charming spot. And then to completely supply our wants Dame Nature has placed us within an hour's drive of the grand old stormy ocean, hidden away behind the mountain which protects us from the north wind in winter and furnishes a lookout from which we can see the beautiful valley and its towns and villages for miles each way. On the top of this mountain, too, along the very edge of the carriage road is to be found a large lake where the weary townsman finds recreation and refreshing sport in idling round in boats, fishing in its limpid depths or picnicking on the island. Yes, nature has been lavish with her gifts and man has not been slow to take advantage of the opportunities thrown in his way, and a more thriving and industrious little town can searcely be found. Yes, the poet could more thriving and industrious little town can searcely be found. Yes, the poet could sing as cheerily of Bridgetown as of the vil lage of the plain.

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ashore while coming down St. John harbor it sppears either that an order directing her course was wrongly given by her captain or wrongly, understood by her second mate. The disaster seems to have arisen from care lessness on the part of some of the officers of the ship rather than from any misfortune or perils of the sea. It was the consequence or perils of the sea. It was the consequence of a blunder and not of an accident. Someof a blunder and not of an accident. Something like the charge of the Light Brigade,—a terrible sacrifice made in carrying out an order which was absurdly wrong but yet must be obeyed. "Theirs not to reason why, theirs but to do and die." There appears to be something wrong in a system of discipline so rigid and severe that a lower officer is bound to obey an order of his superior although it is apparent that an error has been made and certain destruction will be the inevitable result of its execution. The captain of a ship or the general of an army is a fallible being as well as those beneath him in command, but discipline seems, in these cases, to rost upon the theory that the commanding officer is infallible and those under him mere machines to carry out his instructions.

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Instructions.

—In addition to the regular political parties, the patrons of industry, the Protestant protective association and the McCarthyites, there is a new element of Canadian people striving hard for recognition at the hands of the public as an organized party, and that is the temperance element. Hitherto they seem to have been content to do a great deal of talking and their influence at the polls was never regarded as being very powerful, but the time appears to be at hand when the advocates of temperance reform must be listened to and their demands heeded. So long as they talked they were ignored, but when they began a line of political co-operation that foreshadowed some degree of unanimity and consequently of success, the older parties were compelled to give heed to their ways.

Isolated the first session.

A paper on "The Jews" was read by Miss Part of Bridgeton on "Enthusiasm in God's cause," were both helpful and thoughtful. Then came a hymn of praise and recitation by Miss Parker, after which a paper on "Systematic Giving" by Miss Negation of the purparent of the work in the case of the work in the chair. Music by the choir and scripture reading by Mrs. Gaetz and Parker, after which a paper on "Systematic Giving" by Miss Negation of the purparent of the work in the case of the work. The public meeting opened at eight o'clock, and prayer by Pastor Rev. J. H. Toole.

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The first service of the Annapolis Deanery The first service of the Annapolis Deanery was held at St. Alban's church, Lequille, on Tuesday evening. The following clergy were present: Rev. Messrs. H. D. deBlois, R. D., J. Lockward, H. A. Harley, J. E. Warner, A. Gale and H. How. The sermon was preached by Rev. John Lockward, from Titus III, 5. Miss Chipman played, and several members from St. Luke's choir were present. At St. Luke's, on Wednesday morning, prayers were said by Rev. Mr. Warner; Rev. F. P. Greatorex preached from II Kings, v. 9. The Rural Dean celebrated the Holy Communion. The offertory was for the proposed missionary work of the Deanery. At the usual devotional and business meeting, at the Rectory in the after-Deanery. At the usual devotional and business meeting, at the Rectory in the afternoon, the Rev. John Lockward of Clementsport was elected secretary—vice Rev. J. M. Withycombe now of St. Jude's, Carleton. A resolution of regret at his departure, with the assurance of the best wishes of the Chapter, was passed, and a copy will be transmitted. The clergy were hospitably entertained by their several hosts.

## New Enterprise at Annapolis.

The Annapolis Manufacturing company, nited, is the name of a new concern lately corporated. The chief place of business is o be Lequille, in this county. The capital tock is \$16,000, in 220 shares at \$50 each. stock is \$16,000, in 220 shares at \$50 each. The names of the applicants are Robie Uniacke, bank president; James Pennington, accountant; Jas. E. Roy, merchant; Robert E. Harris, barrister at-law, and William A. Henry, barrister at-law, all of the city and county of Halifax. They intend carrying on the business of lumberers, lumber merchants, millers, manufacturers and dealers in timber, lumber, etc.

The paragraph published in our issue of Wednesday last, announcing the probable withdrawal of Attorney General Longley rom the candidacy of the liberal party of the county, has not been verified. The MONITOR'S rumor, however, was obtained to the county reliable gentlemen, who at the time from reliable gentlemen, who at the time were under a similar impression. As it is now well known throughout the county Mr. Longley is actively engaged in the contest, and, with his many friends, will do all in his

### power to obtain a victory. Contract for Six New Houses.

Messrs. Curry Bros. & Bent, the entercontractors of this town, received information last week from Halifax that they had been awarded a contract, for the construction of six new houses, to be built in that city for Mr. Geo. Wright. Operations have already been commenced by a staff of thirty men who are at work on the foundations. The contract is a heavy one, aggregating some \$24,000.

A True Bill Against Wheeler.

In the Bear River murder case at Kentville on Tuesday, 2nd inst., the grand jury, after examining a number of witnesses and conferring some three hours reported a true bill against Peter Wheeler. The trial was set down for a special term to begin at Kentville on June 26. The witnesses, of whom twenty-seven were in attendance, returned to Bear River next day.

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## Woman's Missionary Convention.

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Mrs. Herbert Whitman gave a thrilling Mrs. Herbert Whitman gave a thrilling and touching recitation, followed by a paper on "Corea" by Mrs. W. Hibbard of Berwick. This paper gave a clear and intelligent idea of the lives, customs, and needs of the Corean people. Dialogue by the Mission Band, representing India, Japan and China. A paper by Miss Vroom of Bear River, "Deeper interest in Missions," and a recitation by Miss E. Young of Middleton, afterward a debate by six young ladies, in which both sides of mission work for and against was freely discussed, resulting in a resolution to carry the Gospel in all lands. A resolution by Miss Annie Young and another by Miss Parker closed the profitable and successful public meeting.

A collection in aid of missions amounting to \$7.51 was taken.

—Mackerel seem to have struck our waters in unusually large quantities this year, and from day to day we read of great catches.

—Mr. J. S. Bailey made a good start in his racing season a few days ago on the new Charles River track in Cambridge, Mass., when he captured the 4th heat of a handicap racin in 1.07 over 20 other starters. He won 4th place in the final.

—At the convocation at Sackville on Tuesday, in answer to an appeal by Dr. Allison \$1,000, to enlarge Lingley Hall, the sum of \$1,200 was raised, and the Hall will be enlarged this summer. Jarius Hart, Eeq., of Halifax, subscribed \$500.

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The convention met again at 9.30 a.m. on Phursday for transaction of routine business and consecration service.

Votes of thanks were tendered to the D. & A. R. for concessions, to the local papers for kindly notices and to friends at Lawrence-

### town for entertains Election Figures.

For the benefit and guidance of those of our readers who like to speculate in political majorities we subjoin the following returns

the last Dominion elect ld March 5th, 1891:—		
lling Section.	CHIPMAN.	-
1—Melvern Square	63	56
2-Middleton	68	59
3-Lawrencetown	91	60
4—Bridgetown	97	131
5—Belleisle	61	135
6-Granville Ferry	89	77
7—Lower Granville	61	62
8-Clementsport	93	51
9 -Bear River	100	49
10-Annapolis	41	98
11-Carleton's Corner	87	72
12-Nictaux	69	71
13-New Albany	26	21
14—Maitland	29	44
15—Dalhousie	19	58
16-Torbrook	79	52
17-Port George	95	33
18-Port Lorne	44	67
19—Hampton	28	43
20-Parker's Cove	35	52
21-Clementsvale	69	56
22-Lequille	54	129
23-Round Hill	25	115
24-Lawrencetown Lane	82	48
25-Springfield	53	49
26-Margaretville	70	36
27—Deep Brook	32	59
28-Graywood	14	52
Total,	1662	1835 1662
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Majority for Mills,

Port George's Lighthouse Keeper Passes Mr. John McAndrews, a respected and well-known resident of Port George, passed to his rest on Saturday, June 6th, at the advanced age of 79 years, of heart trouble. For the past seven years the deceased had charge of the light house at that place and in that capacity as well as his other walks in life performed his duties in a faithful and satisfactory manner. He leaves a widow and one daughter besides a large family connection to mourn. The funeral took place on Monday and was very largely attended, not only by his many friends but also representations of different Orange lodges, to which order he belonged. The services were conducted at the house by the Rev. J. H. Too.e, of Lawrencetown, and at the grave by the brotherhood of which he was a member.

# Local and Special News.

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—Supreme Court opens in this town next Tuesday.

—Read L. Chute's mark down sale advertiaement.

—Fresh Groceries constantly arriving at F. G. Palfrey's.

—It is town of Yarmouth celebrated its 135th anniversary yesterday.

—Liverpool has a daily paper, the Daily Press, published by Walter H. Sperry.

—Davisons' drive of logs has been successfully placed in booms at Bridgewater.

—Now landing: A cargo of choice Blacksmith's Coal for H. R. Shaw.

—It is estimated that 50,000,000 ft. of lumber is hung up on the St. John River.

—Sir Chas. Tupper will be unable to speak in Annapolis and other points in Nova Scotia.

—BEAVER Plug is the highest grade and richest flavored Chewing Tobacco made. Try it.

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Rev. H. Earsons.

Personas.

Miss Edith Quirk is visiting relatives and friends at Weymouth.

Rw. J. G. C. White and wife of Annapolis, spent last week at Wolfville.

Mrs. Shannon, of Hallfax, is the guest of her eister, Mrs. B. Mitchie.

W. E. Crowe, of Halifax, arrived in town yesterday on a business trip.

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June 16th. -Mrs. Hoyt, of Weymouth Bridge, cele-brated her 102nd birthday on Friday, May 29th, and on the following Sabbath visited a sick neighbor.

-The public examinations of the scholars of the Annapolis Academy begins this after noon. All interested in education are in-vited to be present. -There were 29 business failures reported

throughout the Canadian dominion last week against 25 the week a year ago, 37 two years ago, and 38 three years ago. —Mr. Libbey took away from his mine at Brookfield last Wednesday the largest brick of gold yet produced there from one month's work. It weighed 565 ounces.

place a few days ago, at Sandy Cove, leaves a widow—a daughter of the late Angus M. Kidney—three sons and two daughters.

-Mackerel seem to have struck our water

-Twenty-nine candidates were confirmed 

—A rousing reception was accorded to Commander Booth Tucker and his wife, Consul Booth-Tucker, on their first official public appearance as the head of the Salvation army in the United States in Tremont Temple, Boston, last Thursday night. —The death of Mrs. Wade, relict of the late Capt. Joseph H. Wade, took place at her home in Bridgewater last week. She was an estimable woman, and her death cast a deep gloom over the community. Mr. Aaron Morse, her father, was one of the first settlers of the town.

—The annual meeting of the Bank of Mon-treal was held at Montreal on Monday, 1st inst. The report showed a net progress of one million two hundred and forty thousand dollars. After a dividend of ten per cent. had been paid, a balance was carried for-ward of eight hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

dollars.

—J. N. Rice, photographer, will be at his studio over Dr. S. N. Miller's drug store, Middleton, one week, commencing June 11th, where he will be prepared to wait on all customers wanting work in his line, of any style. Mr. Rice has some fine views of the Baptist church, Middleton, also some of the Nictaux church. Call early in the week and secure a setting.

Becure a setting.

—The copious rain of yesterday has done much toward allaying the anxiety of our farmers respecting the hay and other crops for the season. The continuous drought which has prevailed, with slight exceptions, since the seeding season began was being most seriously felt on our uplands, and had it continued during the remainder of the week it would undoubtedly have had a most disastrous effect on the hay crop. Potatoes planted made very slow progress in showing above ground, and it was feared that the prospects of the apple crop looked anything but cheering. Thanks to kind Providence, the face of nature has materially changed for the better, and the smiling faces of our farmers attest to the gratitude they now feel for the favor vouchsafed to them.

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Shipping Notes.

Schr. Annie, Starratt, arrived from Parrsboro on Sunday with coal for Mr. H. R. Staw.

The schr. Genius, Chute, sailed on Saturday for Boston with a cargo of lumber, shipped by Mr. H. J. Crowe.
The schr. Diploma, Capt. LeBlanc, arrived on Thursday with a cargo of Old Mine Sydney coal for Messrs. Neily & Kinney. After discharging she dropped down to the yard of the International Brick and Tile Company to load brick for Sydney.

For a few days around June 23 the passenger travel between the United States and Canada will assume big proportions.

BARTEAUX—ROOP.

Springfield was the scene of a very pretty weeding on the evening of the 4th inst. The principals were Mr. Stanley A. Bar-ttenx, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barteaux, of Mount Hanley, and Mrs. Acthur Earx, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roop. The ceremony took place on the lawn in front of the residence of the bride's parents, under an arch made of apple blossoms, evergreen and floral bells. The bride appeared in a cream nun's veiling dress with train trimmed with lace, ribbon, bridal veil and lillies of the valley and narcissus. She was attended by her only sister, Mrs. Guilford Durling, and her two little nieces, Hazel and Nellie, who accompanied her as maids of honor. The mariage was solemnies of the International Brick and Tile Company to load brick for Sydney.

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Try it.

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—Mr. C. H. Cahan has accepted the liberal conservative nomination for Queens and Shelburne.

—Owing to the rain of yesterday the Kentville races were postponed. They will take place to-day at 2 o'clock.

—The new Plant steamer, Grande Duchesse, will go on the route between Halifax and Boston about July 1.

—"Don't be deceived." Insist on getting the genuine TONKA Smoking Mixture; 10 cents a package. Sold by druggists and dealers. **0** -----

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—J. D. Foster, a brakesman on the Central Railway, had one of his hands injured whilst coupling cars at Middleton last week.

—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, St. John, are to have an excursion to Digby on Dominion Day, by the Prince Rupert.

—The trustees of the Pine Grove Baptist church, at Middleton, are offering the building for sale, also the lot of land on which it is located.

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—We denesday last for Boston. We are sorry to announce that Mr. Davison's well as to Bart and been somewhat impaired of late.

Mr. and Mrs. Clerk, of St. John, arrived here on Wednesday last, and are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Norman Rumsey. Clarence West.

Mrs. H. Strong, mother of our enterprising townsman, Mr. Chas. Strong, returned from her extended visit to New Glasgow, Rockingham and Halifax on Friday last.

Miss Marguriette Perrigo, of New York, is the guest of Miss Lida, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Major Slocomb, at their home on Graville street, and will remain during the summer months.

Rev. E. P. Coldwell, pastor of the Baptist church at Port Lorne, who is on a four weeks vacation at Lower Argyle, visited Freport last week, and on Sunday preached in the Baptist church at that place.

New Steamer Record.

New York, June 5.—The American line steamer St. Paul has succeeded in establishing a new record between Southampton and New York. She arrived in port this afternoon, making the run from Needles to Sandy Hook light ship in six days, five hours and thirty-two minutes. The New York, of the same line, has held the record of six days, seven hours and fourteen minutes since September 14, 1894. This time was made over the short course of 3.047 knots. the short course of 3.047 knots

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New Advertisements.

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## TEA and COFFEE. 1895. Letter "A." No. 549. IN THE SUPREME COURT

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BETWEEN—
SOLOMON DREW, - - Plaintiff, THE NICTAUX FALLS MILLING COM-PANY, LIMITED. - Defendants. To be sold at Public Auction by the Sheriff of the County of Annapolis, for his deputy, in front of the Post Office at Nictaux Falls, in said County of Annapolis, or

SATURDAY, the 4th day of JULY, A.D. 1896,

AT TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON,
All the estate, right, title, interest, claim and
demand of the above named Defendants at the
time of the recording of the judgment herein or
at any time since, in, to and out of all the following described lot of land and premises
situate in Nictaux aforesaid, bounded and
described as follows:
Beginning at the south side of the Lunenburg
river up the west side thereof to the Lunenburg
river up the west side thereof to the mill pond;
thence heestwardly and along E. Barleaux's
north line to the old Lunenburg road; thence
oortherly along said road to Balcom's south line
of the shop lot; thence along the south and east
lines of the shop lot to the south line of the house
lot; thence east along the south line of the house
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lot; thence asterly to the place of beginning, containing about two acres, more or less. EDWIN GATES,
Sheriff of Annapolis County,
RUGGLES, Solicitor for Plaintif.
Oated at Bridgetown, May 29th, 1898. 10 54

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

# SPRING GREETING.

Our Spring Greeting for 1896 is issued under particularly favorable auspices The business situation is much brighter, and goods and prices favor the purchaser in a way not equalled for years. So buoyant are all the prospects, that we have prepared to meet our large and growing custom, by purchasing the

Largest, Choicest and Most Representative Stock of Goods

we have yet had the pleasure of placing before the public. In selecting which, we have been guided by the unvarying principle—"to secure the very best." Where style was the consideration we have insisted on goods faultlessly fashioned; and in all classes of goods we demanded those that

Look Best, Wear Best, Sell Best, and were, in fact, the best and newest procurable. These we purchased carefully and methodically, buying close and figuring a narrow margin of profit, so that we can offer the same for much less than the ordinary cost.

Our patrons form a community possessed of good taste, and endowed with a discriminating sense of harmony and appropriateness, and we ask for a test of our resources and ability to meet the needs of every patron, feeling that we were never so well equipped to supply their wants.

We can convince the most sceptical that it is unprofitable and unfair to send their money away to firms, they know little or nothing shout, giving them the opportunity of sending in return anything they may see fit, when they can buy

### BETTER GOODS AT JUST AS FINE PRICES and from just as good people right in their own community.

Our store is as heretofore a place where all are cordially welcome, a place where goods, prices and courteous treatment are just right.

Thanking you one and all for your valued patronage during the past seventeen years, trusting you will continue to show your appreciation of our efforts in your behalf, and promising to guard well your interests this spring of 1896, as the champion of low prices, superior goods and honest treatment,

We remain faithfully yours,

J. W. BECKWITH & SON.

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of English, Canadian and American

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Dress Goods!

In this line we have always made it a point to excel, and a look through our fine stock will convince you of our statement. We beg that you will examine same thoroughly, and we feel sure that you will not be disappointed, as we have all the leading In this line we have always made it a point to excel, and a look through our fine stock will convine you of our statement. We beg that you will examine same thoroughly, and we feel sure that you will not be disappointed, as we have all the leading shades and trimmings to match.

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as given universal the past and will so in the future.

**HOUSE FURNISHINGS!** Carpets, Lace Curtains, Chenille Table Covers, Table Linens, Napki ings (white and grey), Pillow Co-cular and plain), Tickings, Cretom

Parasols in plain, fancy and shot effects, Gloves, Hosiery, Underwear, Ready-made Wrappers, Waists and White Wear.

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---IIV----**Buying your Hardware** 

-FROM->H. R. SHAW.

My PRICES ARE LOW, in many cases being below St.

My stock is Large, New, and carefully selected. I have a SPECIAL SNAP to offer this season in GLASS. It will pay you to get my prices before buying

R. ALLEN CROWE'S Garden Hose.

JUST RECEIVED: 500 feet of best 3-ply Rubber Hose, and wire covered,

from 9c. up. Barrel Churns, Pumps, Massolines, Granite Ironware, Sheet Zinc, Oil Stoves,

AND ALL KINDS OF Kitchen Furnishings Custom-made Tinware of all kinds on hand and made

to order. Plumbing and Jobbing of all kinds promptly attended to.